Candidates selected for the Engineering College.

115. *MR. JOSEPH VITHAYATHIL (*Kunnatnad* cum *Parur*): Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a caste-wise statement of the candidates selected this year for admission to the Guindy Engineering College?

RAO BAHADUR RAJYASEVANIRATA DR. N. KUNJAN PILLAI: The statement is laid on the table.

MR. JOSEPH VITHAYATHIL: May I know whether any Christian was selected to the Engineering College?

RAO BAHADUR RAJYASEVANIRATA DR. N. KUNJAN PILLAI: Yes.

MR. JOSEPH VITHAYATHIL: May I know whether all the candidates selected were well qualified?

RAO BAHADUR RAJYASEVANIRATA DR. N. KUNJAN PILLAI: Yes. Some took a first class in the Intermediate Examination, and one a second class.

Construction of a bridge at Thottapally.

116. *MR. S. CHATTANATHA KARAYALAR (*Pattanapuram* cum *Shencotta*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) whether the opinion of the expert regarding the construction of a bridge at Thottapalli has been received by them;

(*b*) if so, whether any action has been taken thereon?

MR. G. B. E. TRUSCOTT: (*a*) No.

(*b*) In view of the answer to part (*a*) this does not arise.

MR. S. CHATTANATHA KARAYALAR: On a former occasion when a similar question was put before the House the honourable member said that opinion of the Expert is awaited. May I know what has happened to that?

MR. G. B. E. TRUSCOTT: An opinion has not been received till now. I may inform the honourable member that necessary design for a bridge at Thottapalli has been prepared and it will be sent to Government in due course.

Public latrines within the municipal limits of Trivandrum.

117. *MR. K. T. THOMAS: Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) the number of public latrines within the municipal limits of Trivandrum and

(*b*) whether the Municipality takes any measures for preventing nuisance on the roadsides?

RAO BAHADUR RAJYASEVANIRATA DR. N. KUNJAN PILLAI (*a*) 17

(*b*) Yes.

MR. K. T. THOMAS: May I know whether the Government are aware that considerable hardship is being felt by persons coming up from the moffussil to the town?

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